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APPLICANT(S): Lee et al. CONF. NO.: 9956

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PROTEIN MODIFICATION ANALYSIS

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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER

This paper is being submitted with a Request for Continued Examination of the above-identified application. Applicants respectfully request that the Office enter the amendments and consider the remarks in Applicants' Amendment and Response filed on May 8, 2007.

Applicants' Amendment and Response filed on May 8, 2007 also includes a statement of the substance of the interview on April 26, 2007, between the Examiner, the undersigned, and Dr. Neal Gordon. Applicants believe that this statement is responsive to an Interview Summary issued from the Office on May 1, 2007.

Applicants authorize the Director to charge \$395.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1700 for the Request for Continued Examination. Applicants filed a petition for a two month extension of time with Applicants' May 8, 2007, Amendment and Response, and at that time authorized the Director to charge \$225 for the two month extension of time. Accordingly, Applicants enclose herewith a Petition for a three month extension of time and authorize the Director to charge \$285 to Deposit Account No. 07-1700 for the difference between the fee for a two month extension of time and the fee for a three month extension of time.

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Applicants believe that no other fees are due for entry and consideration of these papers. However, in the event that any fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1700.

Respectfully submitted,

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